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2 detached feet match

Police display photos of mystery shoes hoping for leads

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Two of five disarticulated feet found on the shores of Southwest B.C. belonged to the same man and one of the found feet belonged to a woman, police in Vancouver said yesterday.

The B.C. Coroners Service used DNA analysis to confirm that the foot found Feb. 8 on Valdes Island and the foot found June 16 on Westham Island — on opposite sides of Georgia Strait — were from the same unidentified man.

As well, the fourth foot, found May 22 on Kirkham Island in the Fraser River, belonged to a woman. The DNA profile for that foot has not yet been completed.

"It's very difficult to determine how long the remains may have been in the water," said coroner Jeff Dolan at a press conference yesterday at which the RCMP, Delta Police and the B.C. Coroners Service unveiled part of their investigation.

In less than a year, five feet, still in sneakers, have washed up on B.C. shores. The mystery has sparked headlines worldwide and has even been the subject of jokes on late-night talk shows.

Yesterday police displayed photos of the shoes publicly for the first time in hopes that family members of missing people may recognize them.

Dolan said in all five cases the feet were not severed, but have naturally separated, or disarticulated, from their bodies.

"There is no forensic evidence to support anything other than disarticulation," Dolan said. "There are no tool marks or trauma on any of the remains."

Factors that contribute to disarticulation, he added, include water temperature, decomposition and predation by marine life.

RCMP Const. Annie Linteau said investigators have examined all relevant missing persons cases and come up with a list of more than 240 men who the feet may belong to, so far eliminating 130 of those cases. As for the fourth foot, police are looking at a list of 159 missing women.

Linteau said, that other than the two feet from the same person, there is nothing that connects the other feet.

JEFF HODSON/METRO VANCOUVER

Reporters examine a map at RCMP Headquarters in Vancouver yesterday that details where five detatched feet have washed ashore on B.C. beaches in the past year, sparking headlines worldwide.

learn more

For more details on each of the found shoes, see page 2.

Canucks bring in Demitra

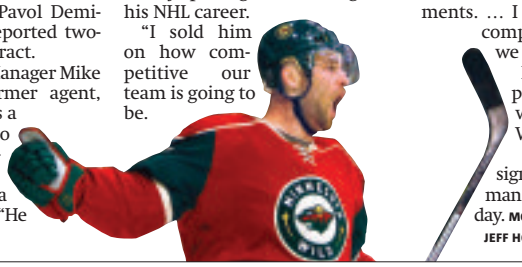
TWO-YEAR DEAL The Vancouver Canucks signed unrestricted free agent forward Pavol Demitra yesterday to a reported two-year, $8-million contract.

Canucks General Manager Mike Gillis, Demitra's former agent, said the 33-year-old is a premium player who can play all three forward positions.

"He seemed like a proper fit," Gillis said. "He wanted to play here."

Demitra, he added, has been a steady point-getter throughout his NHL career.

"I sold him on how competitive our team is going to be. We've kept our defence. We have Roberto. We've added some elements. … I think we're a more competitive team than we were."



Demitra scored 54 points and 15 goals with the Minnesota Wild last year.

The Canucks also signed depth defenceman Rob Davison yesterday. **MORE COVERAGE, PAGE 9.**

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Underwear run for cancer cure

EXPOSED Hundreds of people will be donning their undies only, or wearing them on the outside of their clothes, for the Underwear Affair, a charity race to raise money for cancers below the waist.

The 10-kilometre run and five-kilometre walk, put on annually by the B.C. Cancer Foundation, start at 6 p.m. at Seaforth Armoury at Burrard Street and 1st Avenue.

The event is followed by the annual EXPOsed after party, which features live entertainment, cocktails, dancing and prizes.

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Wristwatch an accessory not to be overlooked

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Hong Kong-to-Vancouver flights reduced
Cathay Pacific Airways is reducing its Hong Kong-to-Vancouver service, while increasing flights to the oil-rich Middle East. Starting in September it'll operate 17 seasonal flights between Vancouver and Hong Kong, down from 21 flights per week. NEWS1130.COM

Local

Birthday celebration with Slurpees

7-Eleven locations are each giving out 1,000 free Slurpees today to celebrate the company's 81st birthday. The promotion is one of the largest-single day product giveaways in Canadian history, with 465,000 free Slurpees given out across the country.
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Timeline

- On Aug. 20, 2007, the first foot was found on Jedidiah Island by a father and daughter who were visiting from the U.S. The man's size 12, "Campus" brand shoe was produced in 2003 and was distributed primarily in India.
- On Aug. 26, 2007, the second foot was found on Gabriola Island by a resident along a trail. The man's size 12 Reebok was produced in 2004 and was distributed globally.
- On Feb. 2, 2008 the third foot was found on Valdes Island by forestry workers. The man's size 11 Nike was produced in 2003 and sold in Canada and the U.S.
- On May 22, 2008 the fourth foot was found on Kirkland Island by the caretaker. It is a woman's size 7 New Balance produced in June 1999.
- On June 16, 2008 the fifth foot was found on Westham Island. The shoe and foot match the third found foot.

JACLYN DESLIPPE/FOR METRO VANCOUVER

Two plane crash victims ruled out

But police have yet to eliminate brothers in feet mystery

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Two of four missing people believed killed in a plane crash off Quadra Island in February 2005 have been eliminated as possible sources of five mysterious feet that have washed ashore in the past year, police said yesterday.

The crash, which killed five people, has been a popular theory as to the source for the disarticulated feet found along various South Coast islands between August 2007 and June 2008.

Killed in the crash were Fabian Bedard, brothers Doug and Trevor Decock, Arnie Feast and Dave Stevens. Only Stevens' body was ever recovered.

At a press conference yesterday police confirmed that the feet were neither Feast's nor Bedard's, but had not ruled out the Decock brothers.

Even if the feet belonged to the Decock's two would still be unaccounted for.

Tip line

Investigators have launched an information line at 1-866-504-3888 for people with tips about the feet.

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Air Canada cuts 300 Van flight attendants

LAYOFFS Air Canada has announced that 300 flight attendants based in Vancouver will be laid off this fall.

Across the country, 632 jobs will be lost Nov. 1, including 145 in Winnipeg and about 187 in Halifax.

Vancouver resident Amy Ho has been a flight attendant with Air Canada for 13 years.

"I'm just taking it a day at a time," she said. "I'm looking for something else (job) on the side."

David Xiu is Ho's boyfriend and has been a flight attendant for 18 years. He said he feels the "pins and needles" despite his seniority.

"We have a union involved so they try different ways to mediate the situation," said Xiu. "There's also the system of bumping (based on seniority) so I can go to Toronto but that will bump someone else, a junior person."

Angela Mah, spokesperson for Air Canada, said the layoffs are a result of decreases in international long-haul flights caused by record-high fuel costs.

DONNA NG/FOR METRO VANCOUVER

Courts threaten police action over power pole protesters

TSAWWASSEN A group of Tsawwassen residents opposed to the construction of a power line will have the police to deal with if they continue obstructing construction efforts, the B.C. Supreme Court ruled yesterday.

Several residents, who call themselves Mothers Against Power Poles, were taken to court for allegedly blocking access to the work site or parking their cars beside trees scheduled to be torn down.

An injunction was issued in June, but the B.C. Transmission Corporation said protesters continued to interfere with construction efforts and some even followed and intimidated workers.

The latter accusation brought snickers from members of the audience who were in court to support the defendants.

Those opposed to the power lines worry they will have detrimental health effects.

KRISTEN THOMPSON/
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News in brief

VISION The lawyer of a legal advocacy group for marginalized persons is running for council under Vision Vancouver in the next election, cknw.com reports. David Eby of the Pivot Legal Society currently focuses on crime and housing issues in the Downtown Eastside.

SHOOTING A middle-aged man is in serious condition in Royal Columbian Hospital after getting shot multiple times in Langley yesterday. Police said the attack was targeted and a man was seen running from the scene when the shots were fired.

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B.C. to help with California fires
B.C. is sending 44 forest firefighters and specialists, as well as six aircraft to California to help the state respond to wildfires. They will be deployed for up to 14 days to help California fire services, which have responded to 1,781 wildfires since June. METRO VANCOUVER

Time running out for Chinese visas

Olympic attendees need to apply soon

JOYCE YIP
for Metro Vancouver

Procrastinators looking to attend the opening ceremonies of the Summer Olympics in Beijing on Aug. 8 have until the end of July to give themselves enough time to apply for a visa.

It takes seven days to receive one, according to officials at the Chinese consulate in Vancouver. Some of the people in line yesterday said the challenge lies in getting the paperwork right.

Michael Mckenzie, who plans to stay with his brother in Beijing, said his application was initially rejected.

"I got everything they asked for, but when I get here, they have a lot of extra requirements," he said. "The funniest one they wanted proof that we are brothers. It is a really unnecessary and irritable hassle."

Kalee Harris, who is going specifically to watch the 2008 games, said she had to prove she had a hotel reservation.

"A lot of this is unnecessary. What happens if I want to change my travel plans? Now we're kind of stuck on going to these exact places, and it feels like there's someone watching me wherever I'm going."

Applications must be made in person at the consulate at 556 W. Broadway, which has two service windows open between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

News in brief

MODEL The Saltspring Island model found dead in Shanghai on Monday was said to be stalked by a man whom she had met a week before her death, CBC News Online reports. Diana O'Brien's boyfriend said the man, whom she met in a modelling job, called her numerous times.

FIRE Police are investigating yesterday's suspicious fire at the old Woodlands's site in New Westminster, cknw.com reports. If the structure is deemed safe, the heritage planning committee wants to save a part of the building's facade.

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RAFE ARNOTT/METRO VANCOUVER

BCGEU employees protest the federal government's housing policies yesterday in Burnaby.

Tories fail housing report

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The federal government has been handed an affordable housing report card marked with straight Fs.

Members of Acorn, Association Of Community Organization For Reform Now, were in Burnaby yesterday to demand the establishment of a housing minister and distribute their report card.

MP Libby Davies, who was at the rally, said the group is justified in failing the government for breaking its promise to make housing a priority.

"We have a huge crisis," she said. "The feds are rolling in surpluses … Where does that money go?"

Cynthia Wiens, a resident of an affordable housing complex in Surrey, said that money should be going toward more social housing.

"These are hard-working people and families who don't have the income to afford rising rent (costs)," she said. "How can they feed their children?"

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No sympathy for robbed couple

Re: "Couple's memories stolen."

I'm afraid I can't have sympathy for these two. How many times do the police have to put warnings out? Thieves will break into (your car) to steal a lowly umbrella, or in my case, half of a chocolate bar.

-SHERYLL MATHESON, VANCOUVER

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News in brief

RETIREMENT Maurice McElrea had a staff of two and operated out of a condemned building when he took over as leader of the Union Gospel Mission almost three decades ago. McElrea retires today after 29 years as president of the organization, which now boasts 12 locations and a staff of 120.

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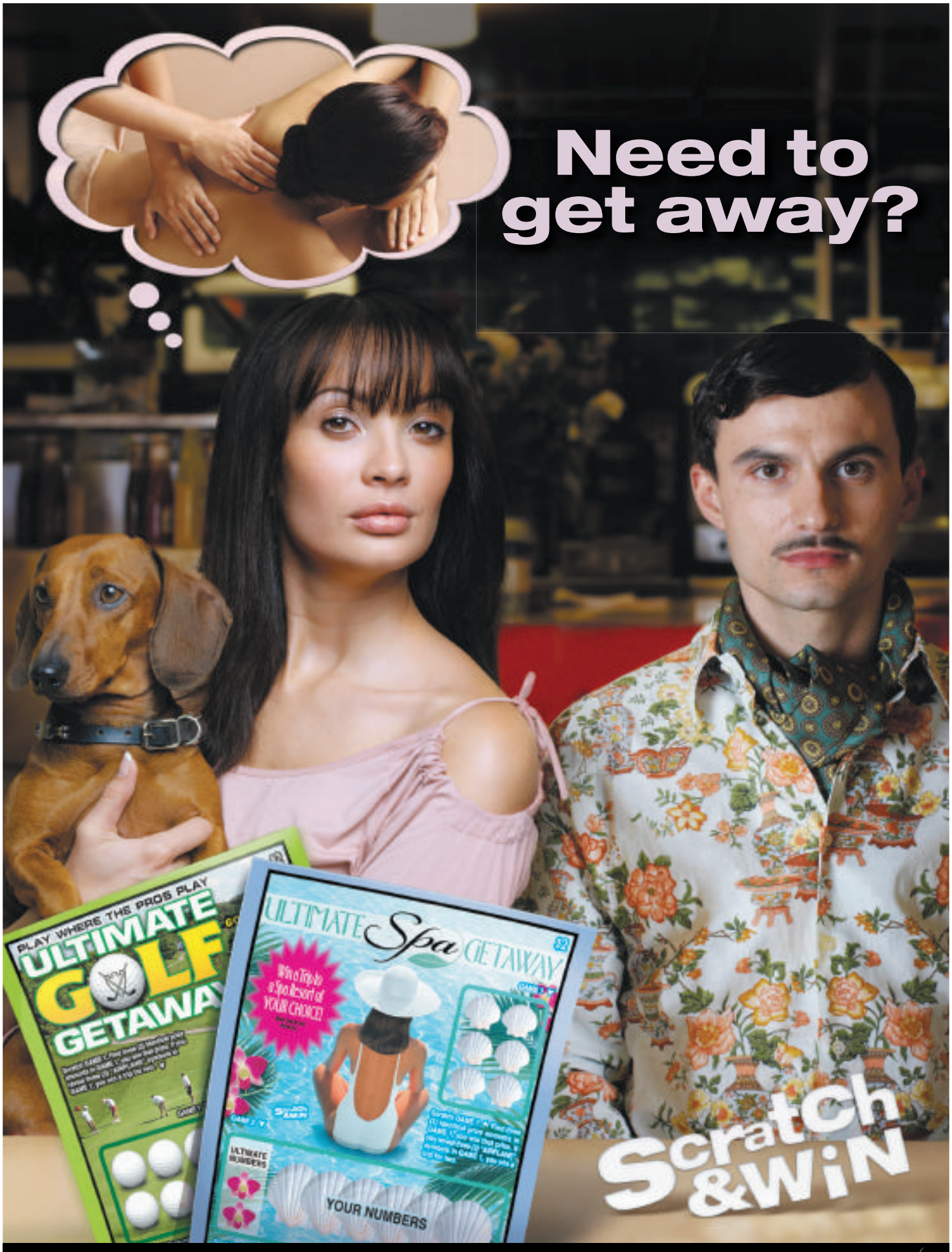
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Saskatchewan equalization
The Saskatchewan government is dropping a court challenge of the federal equalization program. Justice Minister Don Morgan says the province will withdraw a reference the previous NDP government had made. METRO CANADA

Canada

Taxi cab company charged

The city of Ottawa has levied its largest fines ever against a so-called "bandit cab" operation. Dynesty Service owes $56,250 after receiving a $9,000 fine for each of five separate charges of operating a taxi dispatching service without a license, plus victim surcharges.

PM defends biofuels plan

Denies impact on rising food prices, shortages

Rising energy costs are a far greater factor than biofuels in driving up food prices, Prime Minister Stephen Harper said yesterday.

Many experts blame biofuel production for causing grain shortages and food price increases that have put tens of millions of people in danger of falling below the poverty line.

But Harper defended his government's $1.5 billion plan to promote development of biofuels in Canada.

"There are several causes to the recent rise in food prices and biofuels is probably a factor, but we're convinced that the far greater factor is actually the rise in energy input costs for the production of food," he said.

His comments came a day after Premier Dalton McGuinty said the Ontario government is reconsidering a plan to increase the required amount of ethanol in gasoline from 5 per cent to 10 per cent in 2010.

Prime Minister Stephen Harper, left, talks with his Japanese counterpart Yasuo Fukuda during their meeting at Fukuda's official residence in Tokyo yesterday.

"There are serveral causes to the recent rise in food prices and biofuels is probably a factor, but we're convinced the far greater factor is...the rise in energy input costs." Prime Minister Stephen Harper

McGuinty, who denied in April that the corn-based fuel is driving up food prices, said his government is now considering whether it's in the public interest to stick with the 10 per cent commitment.

Harper, who met with Japanese Prime Minister Yasuo Fukuda, lauded the potential for increased trade with Japan and noted that Toyota and Honda are opening new auto plants in Ontario.

Harper announced that Japanese Emperor Akihito will visit Canada next year for the first time since 1953, when he was Crown Prince.

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Worst to first, Ontario says

Ontario will go from worst to first in Canada in electronic recycling once new fees are imposed to dispose of old TVs, computers and, in the future, other electronics, says Ontario Premier Dalton McGuinty.

"We've got to take some responsibility to deal with this and we can create some jobs at the same time," McGuinty said.

Yesterday, Ontario put in place a recycling program, including per-item fees, for all televisions and computers sold in Ontario.

Producers and importers will have to start paying the fees, including $10 for TVs and $2 to $13 for computers, beginning April 1, 2009. A program for nearly all other electronics, including telephones, cameras and stereo equipment, will be put forward for approval a year from now.

"We've got to take some responsibility to deal with this." Dalton McGuinty

It has been left up to businesses to decide if they want to pass on all or part of that fee to consumers. They could add a visible recycling fee to the consumer's bill at the retail level, increase TV and computer prices or absorb the new cost. In the four other provinces that have electronic recycling programs, a fee is added to the consumer's bill.

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News in brief

PHARMACEUTICAL The University of Calgary along with counterparts at the University of Georgia, the University of Toledo and Canadian biopharmaceutical company Cangene, have been awarded a $1.7 million grant from the U.S. National Institutes of Health to develop and test vaccines for use against bio-terrorism agents.

ORDER OF CANADA A Windsor, Ont., man named to the Order of Canada after opening up an orphanage for abandoned girls says he won't share the honour with Dr. Henry Morgentaler and plans to return the award. Frank Chauvin is the fifth Order member to make such a statement. It is the third to be returned this week.

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Boomers forgetting more with age: Study

MEMORY Six in 10 Canadian baby boomers have experienced a mild form of memory decline in the past year, according to a survey.

"We do know that the brain, like any other organ, deteriorates with age," Nathan Herrmann, head of geriatric psychiatry at Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre, said in an interview about the study of people aged 40 to 60.

"And we believe that memory function and other areas of cognitive functioning as well, decline with aging."

In the survey, 58 percent of the respondents, who have not been diagnosed with any form of dementia, reported symptoms of a disorder called Age Associated Memory Impairment (AAMI).

REUTERS

Nathan Herrmann

Calgary Stampede

ROBIN KUNISKI/FOR METRO CALGARY
Lindsay Sears of Nanton, Alta., rides her way to a time of 17.43 in the Barrel Racing event at the Calgary Stampede Rodeo yesterday.

Alberta man steals truck that hit him

ANDREW COWIE
for Metro Halifax

An Edmonton man that was hit by a truck stole the vehicle moments later as the driver got out to check on him.

The driver was going south through the city of champions early yesterday when he struck a man running out on the street, breaking the windshield.

The victim fell to the ground and as the driver got out, checking on the condition of the man, several other males on bikes arrived on scene telling the driver he should leave the area.

But when the driver and the men were speaking, the suspect got up from the ground and jumped into the truck, speeding off from the scene.

leads
Edmonton police are asking for leads in what has been described as increased gang activity.

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Cosmonauts go on a space walk
Two cosmonauts floated outside the International Space Station yesterday to remove a so-called explosive bolt from their Soyuz capsule in hopes of fixing a problem that led to rough landings for two previous crews. REUTERS

World

"The challenges are still great and the relief operation is by no means over"

UN humanitarian affairs chief John Holmes said of the relief effort in the cyclone-ravaged nation of Myanmar.

Plea for funds

The United Nations appealed yesterday for more than $300 million in additional aid for Myanmar to cope with the effects of a cyclone two months ago that left 138,000 people dead or missing.

Iran test fires more missiles

Iran tested more missiles in the Gulf yesterday, state media said, and the United States reminded Tehran that it was ready to defend its allies.

The United States, which accuses Tehran of seeking nuclear arms, said after Iran test-fired nine missiles on Wednesday that there should be no more such tests if Iran wanted the world's trust.

U.S. leaders have not ruled out military options if diplomacy fails to assuage fears about Iran's nuclear program, which Tehran says is only to produce electricity.

Israel, which has long been assumed to have its own atomic arsenal, has sworn to prevent Iran from emerging as a nuclear-armed power.

"The ... manoeuvre brings power to the Islamic Republic of Iran and is a lesson for enemies."
Commander-in-Chief Mohammad Ali Jafari

Iran has vowed to strike back at Tel Aviv, as well as U.S. interests and shipping, if it is attacked.

"The ... maneuver brings power to the Islamic Republic of Iran and is a lesson for enemies," Guards Commander-in-Chief Mohammad Ali Jafari was quoted as saying. REUTERS

U.S. Working hand-in-hand

REUTERS/MIKE SEGA

Democratic Presidential candidate Barack Obama is led off the stage by U.S. Senator Hillary Clinton after the two appeared together at a "Women for Obama" campaign event yesterday.

U.K. might expand visa requirements

Britain announced yesterday that it is considering expanding visa requirements to citizens from 11 additional countries including South Africa.

Nationals from more than 100 countries, equivalent to three-quarters of the world's population, need a visa to come to the United Kingdom.

But following a "Visa Waiver Test" of all non-European countries, the government said there is a "strong case" to add 11 more. These are: Bolivia, Botswana, Brazil, Lesotho, Malaysia, Mauritius, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, Trinidad and Tobago, and Venezuela.

The test looked at the level of risk nationals from countries posed in terms of illegal immigration, and crime and security. REUTERS

fingerprinting

Under a new system introduced in April, all visa applicants to Britain need to have their fingerprints checked before travelling.

News in brief

SEIZURE Costa Rica's Coast Guard seized 2.5 tons of cocaine bobbing in the Pacific Ocean following intelligence information on smuggling gangs, a police spokesman said yesterday. The Coast Guard picked up 126 bags stuffed with bricks of cocaine near an island off Costa Rica's northwest coast and an empty speedboat nearby. REUTERS

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Living to work

25% don't cut job link during vacation: Survey

Almost one-quarter of Canadians deliberately stay "connected to work" while on vacation, even though half of us also confess to indulging in holiday planning while at work, suggest a pair of surveys released yesterday by Monster Canada.

> **"Many Canadians seem to be missing the point when it comes to taking holidays."**
> Peter Gilfillan, Monster Canada

The career portal's first online survey of 1,439 Canadians suggests many of us simply live to work. Among its key findings, nearly one in four Canadians admitted to checking e-mail and telephone messages during their holiday time.

A startling 17 per cent admit they "never really stop working," while a similar number fess up to making themselves available to their bosses "for emergencies only" while on holidays. Only 43 per cent of respondents said they "do not work at all," the survey said.

"Many Canadians seem to be missing the point when it comes to taking holidays," said Peter Gilfillan, vice-president of sales and general manager with Monster Canada.

"We obviously are working harder than ever today and taking time away from the job is important, but it really means cutting links to the workplace in order to relax, something many Canadians seem unable to do today." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

'Unspecified incident' shuts down Petro-Canada refinery

$2.2B

Petro-Canada is close to wrapping up a $2.2-billion project at the Edmonton refinery that will enable it to process the tar-like bitumen produced at its northern Alberta oilsands operations.

EDMONTON Petro-Canada said yesterday it shut down its 135,000-barrel-per-day refinery in Edmonton after an unspecified incident forced the company to depressurize some units after steam boilers lost water.

Kelli Stevens, a spokeswoman for the company, said Petro-Canada can't yet say when the facility will return to normal operation.

With the boilers down, the refinery could not produce the steam that is crucial to its operations.

She said she does not expect supply shortages because of the shutdown. REUTERS

News in brief

CO2 PIPELINE Privately held Enhance Energy Inc. said yesterday it plans to build Alberta's first major carbon dioxide pipeline system to ship the greenhouse gas to old oil fields, where it can boost output. Enhance said the pipeline will be located in central Alberta, where it will capture carbon dioxide emissions from an oilsands upgrading plant planned by North West Upgrading Inc., and a fertilizer plant operated by Agrium Inc. REUTERS

AIRLINES The chief executives of 12 U.S. airlines have written an open letter to customers asking for their help in curbing the speculation they say is partly to blame for sky-high fuel prices. Oil prices have roughly doubled in the past year, forcing major airlines to slash jobs and capacity, raise fares, retire planes and introduce luggage and other fees to survive. REUTERS

MARKETS U.S. policy-makers said yesterday they were doing everything possible to restore calm to financial markets, but stressed to lawmakers that a longer-term regulatory overhaul was vital to avert future crises. REUTERS

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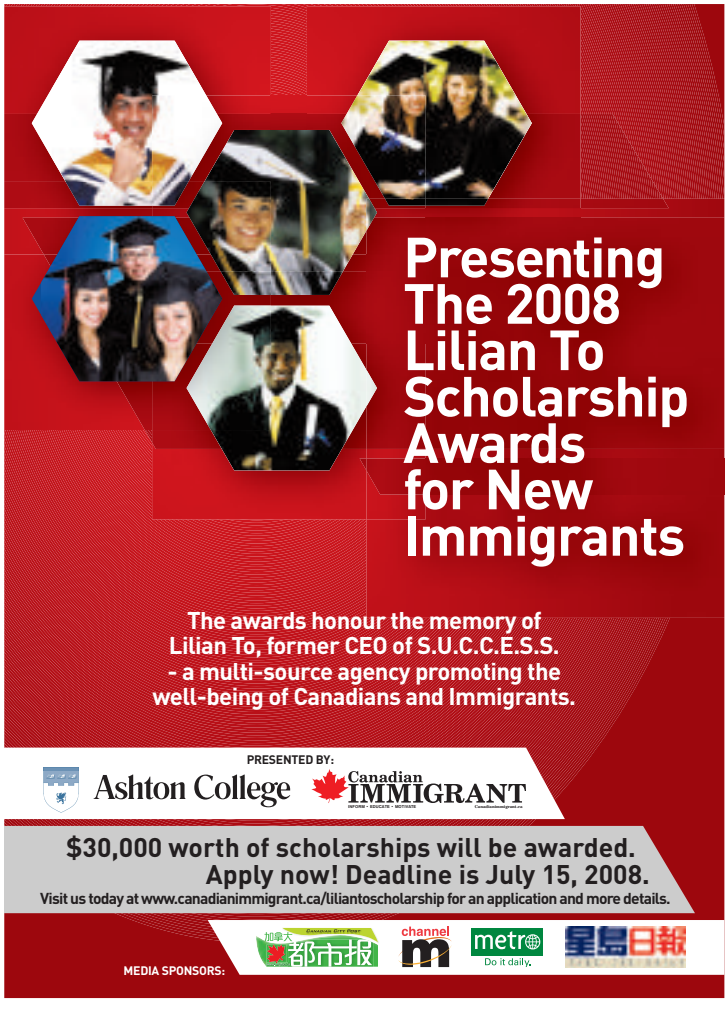

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MLB Toronto Blue Jays centre-fielder Vernon Wells will miss the next four-to-six weeks with a Grade 2 strain of his left hamstring, the club revealed yesterday. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Sports

Demitra could be bait to land Sundin

Veteran forward helps give Canucks appeal

Pavol Demitra's decision to sign in Vancouver certainly gives the Canucks a genuine scoring threat on whatever top line they assemble, but it also raises a very important question: Who will Demitra play with?

At present, there is no player that jumps to mind on the Canucks' current roster, which leads us back to Mats Sundin. Though I am nowhere near convinced that Sundin is Vancouver-bound, one has to wonder what Demitra has been told about his potential linemates.

The Canucks aren't necessarily bottom feeders if Sundin doesn't show up, but the perception of this team would change overnight if he chose to sign here. Vancouver would go from a team that will scratch and claw to win 2-1 hockey games to one that would appear to have a legitimate, balanced offence. Sundin and Demitra would anchor the top line, the Sedins and Steve Bernier provide an excellent second unit, while Ryan Kesler and Alex Burrows offer a nice blend of stingy defence with offensive upside on the third line. Throw in a highly regarded defence and one of the game's best goalies, and opinions quickly change on what is possible next season.

Although it looked as though Sundin had said "thanks, but no thanks" to Mike Gillis' offer, Demitra's signing gets the wheels turning in the other direction. Sundin may only be one player, but he has the ability to change the optics of an entire team with his decision.

• The deal brokered between the NHL and Russia's new Continental Hockey League is a welcome development in what was shaping up to be hockey's version of the Cold War.

Prior to reaching an agreement yesterday, league founder Alexander Medvedev had instructed teams to go after players regardless of their contract situations in the NHL. While most fans are arrogantly conditioned to think, "Why would anyone want to leave the NHL?" the Russian league is attractive for a number of reasons.

For example, there are big, tax-free dollars available in Russia and it is closer to home for many European players. Given how much excitement the likes of Alex Ovechkin and Evgeni Malkin have generated in the past couple of years, the prospect of losing either would be a major blow to the NHL.

• The Blue Bombers' secondary might be just what the doctor ordered for Jarious Jackson tonight.

The Lions' aerial attack has struggled in the early part of this season, but Jackson will face a Winnipeg defence that has been torched by the pass in its first two outings. The Bombers have allowed more completions than any other defence in the CFL, and opponents have completed more than 65 per cent of their passes when playing Winnipeg.

• Want to weigh in? E-mail me at scott.rintoul@metronews.ca.

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Sports in brief

CFL Henry Burris threw for 302 yards on 28-of-37 passing with a touchdown and Sandro DeAngelis connected on 3-of-4 kicks, as the Calgary Stampeders edged the Montreal Alouettes 23-19 last night.

NHL The Edmonton Oilers signed free agent defenceman Jason Strudwick to a one-year contract yesterday. Strudwick spent the past three seasons with the New York Rangers.

NBA Forward Corey Maggette officially signed with the Golden State Warriors yesterday. The deal is reportedly for five years and worth $50 million US.

NBA The Golden State Warriors have signed restricted free agent forward Ronny Turiaf to an offer sheet. The Los Angeles Lakers have seven days to match the offer. METRO NEWS SERVICES

Bonds closing in on return to MLB

MLB Like it or not, Barry Bonds probably will return to the major leagues after next week's all-star break.

Get the details in the York Report at *metronews.ca*.

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Transportation
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Beijing Games

Romanian team drops Popescu

ATHLETICS Liliana Popescu, the fastest women's 1,500-metre runner this year, has been dropped from Romania's Olympic team under suspicion of doping, the local athletics federation (FRA) said yesterday.

"At the moment, Liliana Popescu does not belong to the athletics team for Beijing on suspicion of doping," FRA head Sorin Matei said.

Sarkozy defends Beijing decision

POLITICS French President Nicolas Sarkozy insisted yesterday he had the backing of all European capitals for his decision to attend the opening of the Beijing Olympics as holder of the EU presidency.

"All the member states gave their agreement for me to participate in the opening ceremony of the Olympic Games," he said.

Terror attacks foiled, China says

CRIME China said yesterday that it had foiled five "terrorism groups" plotting attacks targeting the Beijing Olympics, as the government cracks down on perceived threats to the Games. In the first six months of the year, police detained 82 people, the state-run Xinhua news agency said. REUTERS

Sports in brief

BOXING Thailand's Olympic champion boxer Manus Boonjumnong will turn professional after the Beijing Games, the country's boxing chief said on yesterday.

SOCCER World soccer's governing body FIFA yesterday reminded clubs that they must release any players aged under 23 who are called up by their countries for the Olympics. REUTERS

Monday's lineup

GOING FOR GOLD Canada is making its first appearance at the Games since women's soccer was included in 1996. "We want to win gold," says player Christine Sinclair. Pick up Monday's Metro for more.

27 days remain until the official start of the 2008 Summer Olympic Games in Beijing.

Underdogs no longer

First time in history men's water polo team has qualified for Games

KRISTA SYLVESTER
Metro Canada

Once the absent underdogs of the sport, the Canadian men's water polo team is looking to make a big splash at the Olympics in Beijing.

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The men's water polo team, clockwise from bottom left: Aaron Feltham, Kevin Mitchell, Robin Randall, Nathaniel Miller and captain Thomas Marks.

The 2008 Beijing Olympics will mark the first time in history the Canadian men's team has qualified to represent the nation in the water sport, although Canada was a last-minute invitation to the 1984 Olympics after Moscow boycotted.

"We have already made history by qualifying for the Olympics, so there isn't a lot of added pressure on us," head coach Dragon Jovanovic tells Metro. "We will go and do our best and prove to the world we deserve to be there."

Jovanovic, a former water polo goaltender from the former Yugoslavia, was hired by Water Polo Canada to coach the team four years ago.

"They are a great bunch of guys, they are very committed and they really work well together. We're hitting our toughest training yet," he said.

There are currently 17 players fighting for 13 positions for the Olympics, and the final team won't be decided until right before the Games, according to the coach.

Team captain Thomas Marks shows off his Olympic spirit.

The players range in age from 18-29, and hail from across Canada, calling Calgary their training headquarters because of the "state of the art" Talisman Centre where they practise.

"Even if they miss their homes, they want to play water polo and this is their home now," Jovanovic said.

Calgary Mount Royal College student Kevin Mitchell, 26, told Metro he is excited to take part in the Olympic experience, one he calls a "dream come true."

"It's amazing. I really can't wait to live the whole Olympic experience, it's something you imagine but can't believe it's happening," he said.

Mitchell recalled the "adrenaline rush" of beating home team Romania at the Olympic qualifier tournament this year.

"It was probably the best feeling of my life after putting seven years into this and to make it now, especially as underdogs, is exhilarating," he says. "We did what others thought we couldn't."

The team just returned from a month-long trip to Europe, where they beat Italy and Greece, and coach Jovanovic said they looked in fine form.

> **"We will go and do our best and prove to the world we deserve to be there."**
> Dragon Jovanovic

"The challenge now is we don't have any matches in July, so we just have to continue to train hard," he said. "These guys are working hard though, and we have a plan in place to be recognized as a serious contender in the upcoming years."

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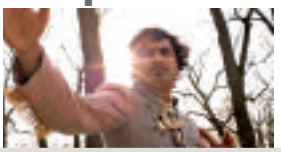

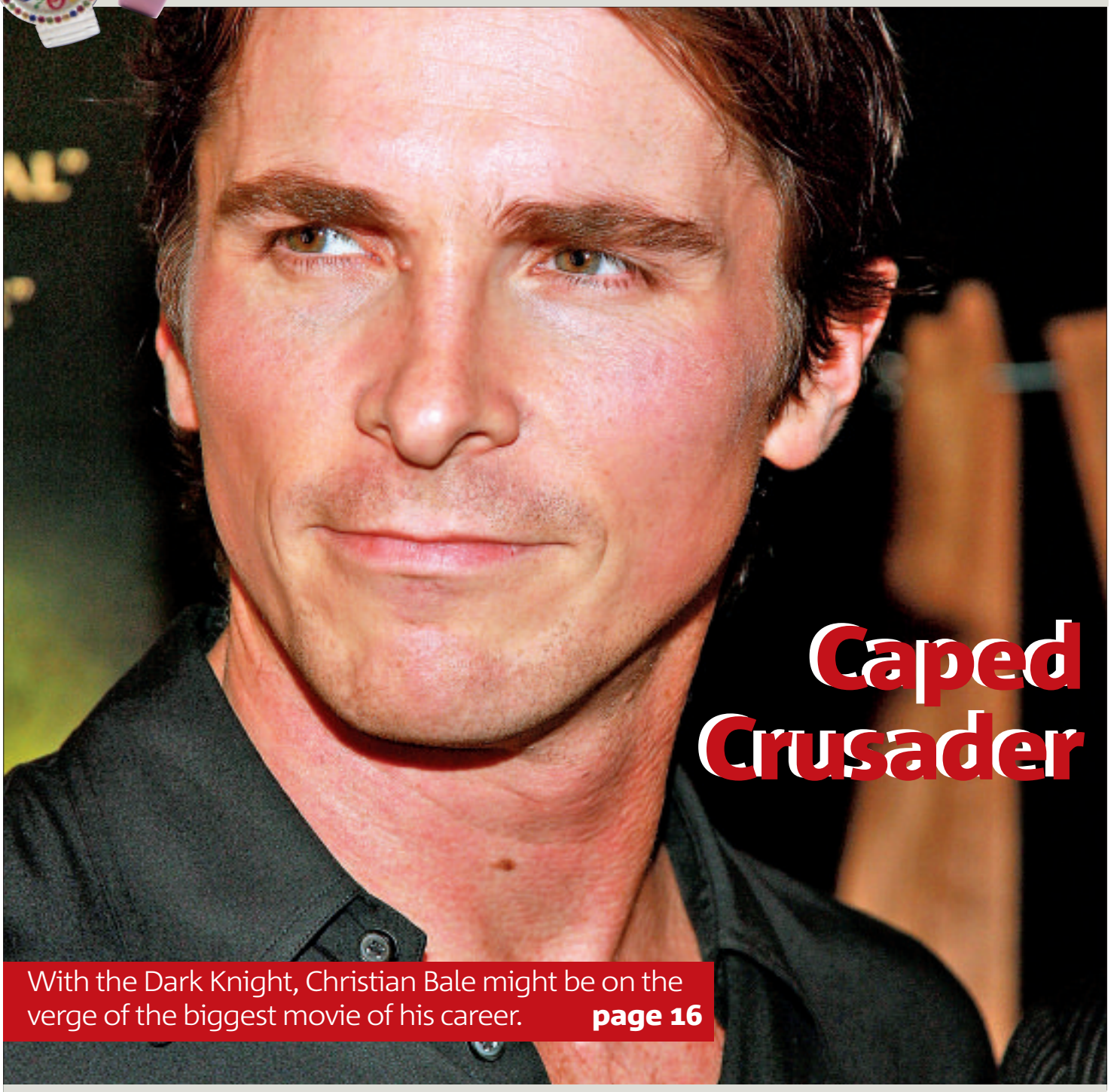

Caped Crusader

With the Dark Knight, Christian Bale might be on the verge of the biggest movie of his career. **page 16**

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There is nothing better than getting off the pavement into the forest for some running, **Dave Norona** writes.

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West coast Weekend

Going out Friday

8 p.m. New York Reggae band Easy Star All-Stars. At Commodore Ballroom, 868 Granville St. Tix: $29. Info: *livenation.com*.
8:30 p.m. Jazz musician Hugh Fraser performs live. At the Cellar Restaurant and Jazz Club, 3611 W. Broadway St. Tix: $15. Saturday night as well. Info: *cellarjazz.com*.
9 p.m. DJ Riton, RC Lair and Danny D spin electro. At Celebrities Night Club, 1022 Davie St. Tix: $15. Info: *celebritiesnightclub.com*.
10 p.m. DJ Vinroc spinning soul, house, Brazillian rhythms and Latin jazz. At Shine Nightclub, 364 Water St. Tix: $15. Info: *shinenightclub.com*.

Going out Saturday

8 p.m. U.S. legendary soul-pop vocalist Stevie Wonder at G.M. Place, 800 Griffths Way. Tix: $49-119. Info: *generalmotorsplace.com*.
8 p.m. Montreal artists Wolf Parade at Commodore Ballroom, 868 Granville St. Tix: $25.50. Info: *livenation.com*.
9 p.m. DJ John Stagger and Style performing sexy house and Top 40. At Canvas Lounge, 99 Powell St. Tix: $16. Info: *canvaslounge.ca*.
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Dave Norona jogs the Lynn Valley Trails near his home in North Vancouver.

The snow has finally retreated high enough to open most of the Lower Mainland's amazing running trails, which means it's time to get out and explore. There is nothing better than getting off the pavement into the forest for some trail running.

Here in the Lower Mainland we are blessed with so many awesome trails that snake into the mountains. If you're new to trail running then the best advice is to take it slow and stick to bark mulch or gravel trails at first.

This will allow your ligaments, tendons and muscles to adapt to the extra work they do when you hit the trails.

Once you have allowed your body to adapt then you can head off to discover some of the more technical trails on Burnaby Mountain, the North Shore Mountains and beyond. These trails are littered with roots, rocks and steep ascents and descent that will test your body as well as your cardio.

It's always important to travel with a friend and carry a few essentials to ensure you have enough food, water and extra equipment in case of an emergency. This way you can help yourself or anyone else. Check out *adventuresmart.ca* for tons of great information and have a great run!

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Music

New royalty of rock

King Khan and His Shrines get fans on their feet

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NATASHA KARADIMOULOU

King Khan and His Shrines play the Red Room on Monday.

King Khan and His Shrines are barreling through the desert in a renovated short bus dubbed the "Voodoo Living Room."

The fact the 10-person, hyperkinectic crew is suffering car problems and spotty cellphone coverage perfectly matches their gonzo, lo-fi crunch. This is a band where legend and reality merge in their four-wheeled sweat lodge.

"(My directing style) is basically trying to get possessed … by spirits, or music, or both," said Khan. "I don't conduct (the band) like an orchestra, but more like a magical ritual, only instead of having a goat that you cut up and sacrifice, you have people dancing and making out."

Khan is a proud former Montrealer whose spirit comes from the St. Lawrence River and its namesake, who refused to denounce Christianity, and was burned on the stake.

"He turned to the king and said, 'I'm crispy on this side, it's time to turn me over,'" said Khan. "That's the most punk thing you can say when you're a shish kebab!"

The Shrines got together in Kassel, the German town where the Brothers Grimm collected fairy tales, and each member boasts a Grimm-like story. For example, 60-year-old percussionist Ron Streeter played with soul legends like Ike Turner and Curtis Mayfield, recovered from a debilitating stoke and is addicted to ice cream.

"To see him go through that transformation (after the stroke) really helped me see what's important in life," said Khan. "He doesn't drink or do drugs, but … if you want to see Ron happy, get him a two-litre box of vanilla ice cream."

The band likes that people dance at shows, but they aren't a dance band. Instead they hope to capture the energy of Stax/Volt soul, '60s garage rock, and Hank Williams, who learned the blues from an African-American musician named Teetot.

"(Teetot) said the biggest lesson when you're playing a song is look right into everyone in the room's eyes," said Khan. "That's why Hank Williams had truck drivers and people who worked in coal mines driving 2,000 miles with their wife and kids."

End of the iPod?

SoundCheck

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As you read this, a small but significant portion of the planet's population has already given up a chunk of their lives to be among the first to own a new 3G iPhone. I've been reading stories about people camped out in front of stores waiting for this moment. Good for them.

The new iPhone is another step closer to having a computer in your pocket. If you spent big coin to buy an American iPhone and went through the hassle of jailbreaking it so it would work in Canada, you now own the equivalent of an iPod released in October 2001.

Which brings me to the iPod. Next to the DVD player and the original transistor radio, it's the most successful electronic entertainment device we've ever seen. Somewhere around 200 million have been sold. A survey released this week by researchers Youthography shows that almost two-thirds of Canadians age 14-34 own an iPod.

But according to that same Youthography survey, 20 per cent of all young people in Canada already own cellphones with built-in MP3 players — and that number is increasing every day. It's to the point where some people have begun to ask how much longer we'll want to buy standalone MP3 players.

Even Apple knows that the future belongs to an all-in-one handheld device — a Tricorder-like machine that offers communication, entertainment and information on just about anything. Research In Motion knows this, too, which is why they've been working hard on some very cool models, including the rumoured touchscreen-ed BlackBerry Thunder and the semi-mythical Kickstart. Meanwhile, HTC, Samsung, LG and Nokia are all R&Ding their brains out to catch up to Apple. Steve Jobs is still ahead of the curve, but others are catching up.

I'm sure that Apple and other music player manufacturers will insist that not everyone needs anything more than a simple music player. And they're right. If all you want to do is slog it out on a treadmill at the gym.

But that's not the point. If manufacturers can get us to keep upgrading, and if the wireless companies can sell us long contracts with expensive data plans, don't you think they'd happily throw the basic MP3 player over the side? Could we be near the end of the iPod era? Just asking.

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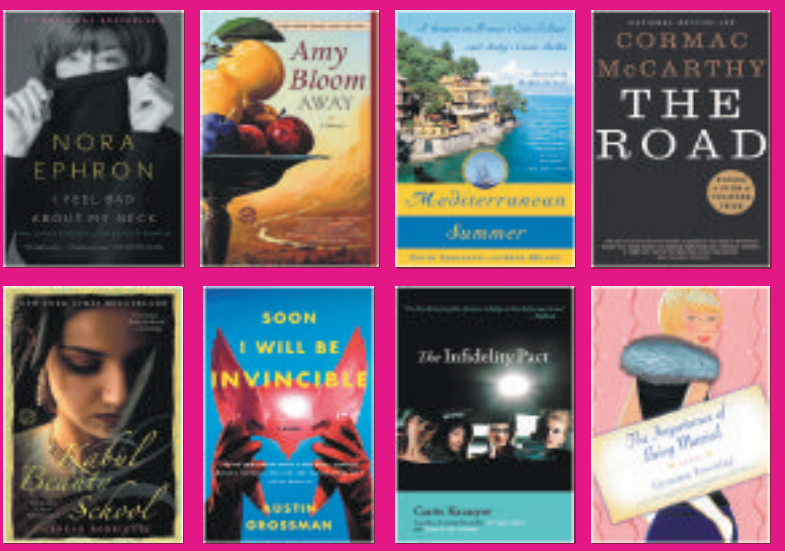

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Rick McGinnis reviews Mamma Mia!

Hellboy's golden sequel

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Hellboy II: The Golden Army
Director: Guillermo del Toro
Stars: Ron Perlman, Selma Blair, Jeffrey Tambor
Classification: STC
Rating:

Ron Perlman as the title character leads the way in this enjoyable, if predictable, comic book sequel.

REVIEW It always feels like something is missing in films based on comic books, something essential whose absence is only barely disguised by action and spectacle and, when the screenwriter is so moved, some sudden stretch of dialogue meant to tease out a dramatic or comic thread with a conspicuous disregard for pacing. Just before the climactic battle in Guillermo del Toro's Hellboy sequel, we're reminded of a prophetic plot point from the first film that both sets up Hellboy III — or IV or V — and utterly deflates the conflict-to-come by underlining the likelihood the hero will survive to fight another day.

This dramatic aphasia overcomes nearly every comic book film, replacing tension with ritual as the protagonist is battered by a gauntlet of villains who, no matter their awesome power and unmitigated evil, are reduced to some CGI-assisted incarnation of the Indians who can't shoot straight in some western serial.

It's clear del Toro really doesn't have his eye on the story as much as the regular intervals when he can introduce some scene packed with striking beasties or a digitally created behemoth, at which point the camera steps back to marvel at the handiwork.

It's no surprise that the significant departure from tone and plot — a scene involving Ron Perlman's title character, his best friend Abe Sapien, many six-packs of Tecate beer and a Barry Manilow song — seems to lift off from the overdesigned business of the film with an affected giddiness that the preview audience, at least, gratefully appreciated.

A Journey back to the third dimension

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Journey To The Center Of The Earth
Director: Eric Brevig
Stars: Brendan Fraser
Classification: PG
Rating:

REVIEW I can thank SCTV for ruining my appreciation of 3-D movies forever, thanks to the classic sketch Dr. Tongue's House Of Stewardesses, which made sport of the cheapie 3-D flicks from the '50s that used to showed up on late night TV, their 3-D effects reduced to little more than swords and sticks being jabbed at the camera by actors ordered to break the "fourth wall" and gesture directly into the lens.

John Candy and Eugene Levy leering at the camera was never far from my mind while watching Brendan Fraser in Journey To The Center Of The Earth, which features, among other exercises of the medium, a thick glob of dinosaur drool launching from the screen and into your eye. An updating of the classic Jules Verne tale for the green screen age, it's been given the full-on 3-D treatment by director Eric Brevig with an unrestrained enthusiasm for the film's primary technical parlour trick.

After three Mummy films, Brendan Fraser is an old hand at this sort of outlandish action flick, a sort of contemporary Victor Mature who hopefully has the potential to be as self-mocking. He manfully delivers the bulk of the film's dubious science with a straight face, which is as it should be. While you don't want to think too much about what Journey has to say about plate techtonics or zoology, its hurtling pace and unabashed enthusiasm for every unlikely new peril is the best thing about the film.

Meet Dave is one meeting you want to avoid

STEVE GOW
for Metro Canada

Meet Dave
Director: Brian Robbins
Stars: Eddie Murphy
Classification: PG
Rating:

REVIEW Like most people, I miss the Eddie Murphy of yesterday.

The smart-alecky, foul-mouthed Beverly Hills Cop Murphy whose career has since (somehow) primarily become a vehicle for entertaining prepubescents with over-the-top shtick. Talk about fallin' for a banana in the tailpipe!

At the outset of Meet Dave, Murphy seemingly follows suit, playing both a human-shaped spaceship named Dave and the tiny alien Captain controlling his every move from inside.

On a quest to find a mysterious orb that crashed to Earth, Dave (and subsequently, the Captain) meet a kindly family and learn the obligatory true lesson of friendship.

It's actually a fairly multi-layered plot and definitely an improvement on the comedian's recent offerings (Norbit anyone?). Murphy's talents are best showcased when he's playing the inanimate spaceship (who can sharpen pencils in his nose and excrete money when he needs it by the way).

It's a tricky role and Murphy pulls off a glazed-over look rivaled only by the look on younger audience members' faces when a punchline makes reference to the singer Meat Loaf.

Nonetheless, soon we meet the crew within Dave, the annoying characters (a rugged officer who discovers Broadway and becomes a flaming homosexual) arise and the gags begin to fall flat.

Along with special effects that are simply sloppy in the golden age of CGI and a promising start ends up uneven.

Mainly however, I just couldn't help but wonder how much better Meet Dave might've been if geared towards a more mature audience.

Definitely an improvement for Murphy but it still seems like he's mailing it in.

Sorry Eddie, but I won't fall for a banana in the tailpipe.

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Casting Robert Downey Jr., right, is set to star in Sherlock Holmes, director Guy Ritchie's feature drama about the fictional detective. Downey reportedly signed on to the project after seeing Ritchie's latest version of the script.
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When East meets West

BRIAN COULTON
for Metro Canada

Before the Rains
Director: Santosh Sivan
Stars: Linus Roache, Rahul Bose, Nandita Das, Jennifer Ehle
Classification: PG
Rating:

REVIEW A culturally forbidden romance in 1930s southern India between an English spice tycoon and an Indian housekeeper provokes tragedy, life-changing decisions and questions of class constructs in Before The Rains.

English businessman Henry Moores (Linus Roache) engages in an affair with married local, Sajani (Nandita Das) while working in India. Their romantic balloon is quickly punctured, however, when Moores' wife, Laura (Jennifer Ehle) returns from Britain to join him.

After Sajani's husband discovers she's been unfaithful, she is faced with the choice between communal disgrace for her actions and loneliness from her inability to remain with Moores. With Sajani's personal exile seemingly unavoidable, Moores entrusts his Indian business partner T.K. (Rahul Bose) to conceal their affair by sending her away. The task is just one bump in the road of T.K.'s struggle between his Indian cultural roots and the opportunity for modernization presented by Moores.

Before The Rains effectively isolates cultural clashes through the decisions faced by a number of the film's characters. Most prominently and convincingly, T.K.'s internal conflicts portray tension between his Eastern heritage and Western prospects.

While the film interestingly examines such points of friction, fruition is barely attained by the story's end. Microcosms of moral quandaries offer fodder for consideration, but cohesion is lost to dramatics.

The illicit romance of an English spice tycoon and an Indian housekeeper provokes moral and political quandaries.

The film excels in its alluring and appropriate aesthetic features. Showcasing of the natural Indian outdoors features both beauty and grit, fitting both the attractive cores and rotten centres apparent throughout.

Before The Rains is a sultry expression of West meets East and East meets East, fusing common moral questions within a specifically politicized context.

This first English language feature by Santosh Sivan is based on the short film Red Roofs. The film's full-length extension, although fragmentally strong, struggles in finding a consummate voice.

Not too much to sing about in sexy Love Songs

JASON ANDERSON
for Metro Canada

Love Songs
Director: Christophe Honoré
Stars: Louis Garrel, Ludivine Sagnier
Classification: PG
Rating:

REVIEW They may burst out into song from time to time but no one would mistake the characters in Love Songs for members of the Von Trapp family. Chic, young and sexually adventurous, these Parisians and the jangly ditties they sing introduce this often staid movie genre to such topics as how difficult it is to successfully conduct a ménage-à-trois.

Love Songs is nothing if not novel. Too bad it's only intermittently engaging due to its haphazardly arranged storyline and the inconsistency of both the singers and the songs.

Director Christophe Honoré populates the film with many of French cinema's biggest stars, some of whom don't have much in the way of singing ability. That category includes Louis Garrel — he plays Ismaël, a young man whose girlfriend Julie (Ludivine Sagnier) has recently changed up their relationship by inviting Ismaël's lesbian work pal to regularly share their bed. Songs about love, confusion and jealousy inevitably ensue.

Love Songs' early scenes boast great charm, but when events take a tragic turn, the film loses both its light tone and its bearings. Neither the moony antics of Garrel nor the pleasant pop songs are strong enough to give the film the emotional heft it needs to become a great musical.

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Hancock Will Smith's new movie Hancock has been accused of homophobia by gay rights campaigners. Bosses at The Gay + Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLAAD) allege a scene in the superhero movie takes a "cheap, unfunny shot at gay people." IMDB.COM

Reel Times

Bale's Batman begins again

Actor shares his inspiration, working with Ledger in Dark Knight

RICK McGINNIS
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FEATURE Christian Bale is that rare movie star about which we know almost nothing. With The Dark Knight opening in a week, he might be on the verge of the biggest movie of his career, but sitting across from the actor at a press event in Beverly Hills, it's impossible to imagine that it's going to change what he does or how he does it; averaging two films a year in what tend to be physically demanding roles, with three more films including a new Terminator movie in production, it's likely he'll just return to some set, away from the gossip mags.

Talking about his second shot at portraying Bruce Wayne and his alter ego, the Batman, in director Christopher Nolan's stygian reboot of the comic movie franchise, Bale is as thorough as any movie critic when he talks about his inspiration and process in creating the role.

"He has this great shadow side borne of the pain and death of his parents," Bale says of the caped crusader, "His creation of Batman has never been helpful for his own life. He has a great capability for violence, and he's given himself this one rule that he will not kill, because he sees how easily he could cross that line. The Joker is the one who's made him question his ethics more than anybody up until now, and tempting him to break his own rule, because if he breaks his own rule he can possible prevent the deaths of many people. And in that case is it selfish to hold onto his own principles — should he break his own principles for that?"

"When you have anybody who was as good as him, it becomes that much easier to create great scenes."
Christian Bale on working with Heath Ledger

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Christian Bale

The subject turns to Heath Ledger, whose Joker will be his penultimate movie role, Bale is full of respect for the late actor's professionalism, frequently praising him for his "commitment."

"That was our very first scene together," Bale says, referring to a brutal interrogation scene between their characters. "And it was a great way to start, because we were afforded the luxury of, for some part of the scene, being completely alone in that room with the cameras outside, with just mirrors surrounding us, and the two of us eyeballing each other, and everywhere you looked just seeing reflections of the two freaks sitting at a table together."

"Me sitting opposite him, I was getting real pleasure from seeing the satisfaction he was getting from it, because I could recognize the same satisfaction that I get from acting. When you have anybody who was as good as him, it becomes that much easier to create great scenes."

Movie morsels

Kit Kittredge: An American Girl

Abigail Breslin plays Kit, a young girl whose 1934 has gone from middle class to mid-Depression as her father loses his job and her mother is forced to take in boarders. It takes too long for the story to kick in, and as a result it never gets up a good head of steam, but that might not be a minus for the movie's intended audiences — the little girls between the ages of 5 and 12.

Rick McGinnis/Metro Canada

Love Guru

Mike Myers plays a self-help swami who's enlisted to help reconcile a hockey player with an ex-lover in order to end a curse. Although the comedy is filled with terrible penis puns and cracks about midgets, Myers still finds a way to charm us with his quirky characters.

Steve Gow/Metro Canada

Wall-E

In the absence of his creators, who are cruising the universe, Wall-E, the trash-compacting robot is left to dig mankind out of its own mess on an earth. He has developed a lovelorn little soul, until Eve arrives. Eve is a sleek creature looking for signs of plant life that would mean Earth is becoming habitable again. When she's taken to the mothership after finding the seedling Wall-E's been tending, he goes for the ride. It's sweet, but not cloying.

Rick McGinnis/Metro Canada

Wanted

James McAvoy plays a loser who is swept into a secret fraternity and becomes a skilled assassin. Director Timur Bekmambetov makes an impressive debut giving the film a quirky self-assuredness, impressive visuals and a great cast that includes Angelina Jolie and Morgan Freeman.

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Grand Canyon Adventure: River at Risk (STC) Fri-Thu 11-3 Sat 7:30

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Deep Sea 3D (G) Fri-Thu 11-4-6
Dinosaurs 3D: Giants of Patagonia (STC) Fri-Thu 1-3
Dolphins and Whales 3D: Tribes of the Ocean (G) Fri-Thu 12-2-8
Okavango (STC) Fri-Thu 5-7
U2 3D (G) Fri-Thu 9

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DUNBAR THEATRE
4555 Dunbar Street, 604-222-2991

The Dark Knight (14A) Thu 11:59
Hancock (PG) Fri 7:10-9:30 Sat-Sun 4:15-7:10-9:30 Mon-Wed 7:10-9:30 Thu 7:10

FIFTH AVENUE CINEMAS
2110 Burrard Street, 604-734-7469

Before the Rains (PG) Fri-Thu 1:45-4:15-7:20-9:30
The Dark Knight (14A) Thu 12:01
Flight of the Red Balloon (G) Fri-Thu 3:45-9:15
Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull (PG) Fri-Mon 1:15-6:40 Tue 1:15 Wed-Thu 1:15-6:40
Mongol (14A) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:30-7:10-9:45
Sex and the City (18A) Fri-Thu 1-4-7-9:50
WALL-E (G) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:40-4:45-6:50-9

GRANVILLE
855 Granville St., 604-684-4000

Encounters at the End of the World (G) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 2:15-4:20-7:10-9:35
Forgetting Sarah Marshall (18A) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 2:05-4:25-6:50-9:15
The Happening (14A) SR Dolby Digital Fri-Thu 2:10-4:15-7:05-9:20
The Love Guru (14A) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 2:20-4:35-6:55-9:10
The Promotion (14A) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 2:30-4:40-7:15-9:25
You Don't Mess With the Zohan (14A) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 2-4:30-7-9:30
Young People F...ing (18A) SR Dolby Digital Fri-Thu 2:25-4:45-7:20-9:40

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21 (PG) Fri 7:30 Sat-Sun 3:25-7:30 Mon-Thu 7:30
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OAKRIDGE
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The Dark Knight (14A) No Passes Thu 12:01
Get Smart (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:50-6:50-9:25
Hancock (PG) Fri-Thu 1:20-4-7:20-9:45
WALL-E (G) Fri-Thu 1:30-4:10-7-9:35

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Being There (STC) Wed 7:30
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Some Like It Hot (STC) Tue 1
The Velvet Underground & Nico (STC) Sat 9:25 Thu 7:30
Vivre Sa Vie (STC) Fri 7:30 Sun 7:30 Mon 9:10

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3440 Cambie Street, 604-876-2747

Love Songs (PG) Fri 4-7-9 Sat-Sun 2-4-7-9 Mon-Thu 4-7-9

RIDGE THEATRE
3131 Arbutus Street, 604-738-6311

Kung Fu Panda Fri 2 Sat-Sun 12-2 Mon-Thu 2
Priceless (PG) Fri-Thu 4-7-9:15

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Dead Alive (STC) Fri 11:59
Hancock (PG) Fri 7-9:15 Sat-Sun 3-5-7-9:15 Mon-Thu 7-9:15
The Return of the Living Dead (STC) Fri

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Hancock (PG) Fri-Mon 12:30-2:45-5-7:30-10:10 Tue 12:30-2:45-5-7:30-10:15 Wed-Thu 12:30-2:45-5-7:30-10:10 Fri-Thu 12-2:20-4:40-7-9:40
Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull (PG) Fri-Thu 12:50-3:50-8-10:45
Iron Man (PG) Fri-Mon 1-4-7:50-10:40 Tue 1-4-10:40 Wed-Thu 1-4-7:50-10:40
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Sex and the City (18A) Fri-Thu 12:20-3:30-6:50-10:15
Wanted (18A) Fri-Mon 12:40-1:10-3:40-4:10-7:10-7:40-10-10:30 Tue 12:40-1:10-3:40-4:10-7:10-10-10:30 Wed-Thu 12:40-1:10-3:40-4:10-7:40-10-10:30

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Brick Lane (PG) No Passes Fri-Thu 12-2:25-4:50-7:25-10
Get Smart (PG) Fri-Tue 1:40-2:35-4:25-5:20-7:10-8:05-9:55-10:40 Wed-Thu 1:40-2:35-4:25-5:20-8:05-9:55-10:40
Hellboy II: The Golden Army (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:10-1:05-2-2:55-3:50-4:45-5:40-6:35-7:30-8:25-9:20-10:15
The Incredible Hulk (14A) Fri-Thu 1:35-4:20-7:05-8-9:50-10:35
Kit Kittredge: An American Girl (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:05-2:30-5
Meet Dave (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:15-2:40-4:55-7:20-9:40
WALL-E (G) Fri-Thu 12:20-1:10-1:55-2:50-3:40-4:30-5:25-6:10-7-7:50-8:40-9:30-10:20

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Funny Ha Ha (STC) Fri 9
The Guatemalan Handshake (STC) Fri 7 Mon 8:45 Wed 8:45
Mutual Appreciation (STC) Sat 9

VAN EAST CINEMA
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The Dark Knight (14A) Thu 12
Wanted (18A) Fri 7-9:15 Sat-Sun 4:45-7-9:15 Mon-Thu 7-9:15

North Shore

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The Dark Knight (14A) Thu 12:01
Get Smart (PG) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 1:30-4-6:50-9:30
Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull (PG) Fri-Thu 1:10-3:50-6:30-9:15
Journey to the Center of the Earth 3D (PG) Digital Presentation, Dolby Stereo Digital, No Passes Fri-Thu 1:50-4:20-7-9:20
Kit Kittredge: An American Girl (G) Fri-Thu 1:20-3:40
The Love Guru (14A) Fri-Thu 7:20-9:40
Sex and the City (18A) Fri-Thu 9:25
WALL-E (G) Dolby Stereo Fri-Thu 1:40-2-4:10-4:30-6:40-7:10-9:35

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Hancock (PG) Fri-Wed 12:20-1-2:50-3:20-5:10-6:30-7:30-9:20-10 Thu 12:20-2:50-3:20-5:10-6:30-7:30-9:20-10 Star & Strollers Screening Thu 1
Hellboy II: The Golden Army (14A) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:50-3:30-6:40-9:40
Kung Fu Panda (G) Fri-Thu 12:30-2:40-5-7:20-9:50
Meet Dave (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:10-2:30-4:50-7:10-9:30
Wanted (18A) Fri-Thu 12:40-3:10-6:50-9:45

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Kung Fu Panda (G) Fri 5:05-7:20-9:40 Sat-Sun 12:35-2:50-5:05-7:20-9:40 Mon-Thu 5:05-7:20-9:40
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Hancock (PG) Fri-Thu 12:10-12:55-2:30-4:25-4:55-7:05-7:35-8-9:45-10:15-10:45
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Kung Fu Panda (G) Fri-Thu 12:20-2:40-5:15-7:40-10:05
Kung Fu Panda: The IMAX Experience (G) Fri-Sun 12-2:15-4:30-6:45-9 Mon 2:15-4:30-6:45-9 Tue 12-2:15-4:30 Wed 12-2:15-4:30-6:45-9 Thu 12-2:15-4:30
The Love Guru (14A) Fri-Wed 12:05-2:35-5:10-7:45-10:35 Thu 12:05-2:40-5:10-7:45-10:35
Meet Dave (G) No Passes Fri-Wed 1-4:15-7:15-9:30 No Passes Thu 4:15-7:15-9:30 Star & Strollers Screening, No Passes Thu 1
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Kung Fu Panda (G) Fri-Wed 11:55-2:25-4:50-7:30-9:50 Thu 12:45-3:15-6:30-9
Meet Dave (G) No Passes Fri-Thu 12:35-3:10-5:35-7:55-10:25
WALL-E (G) Fri-Thu 12:10-2:35-5:15-7:45-10:20
Wanted (18A) Fri-Thu 12:35-3:30-7:05-9:55

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The Incredible Hulk (14A) Fri 4:10-6:50-9:25 Sat-Sun 1:20-4:10-6:50-9:25 Mon-Thu 4:10-6:50-9:25
Iron Man (PG) Fri-Thu 9:15
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The Love Guru (14A) Fri 4:35-7:05-9:20 Sat-Sun 1:50-4:35-7:05-9:20 Mon-Thu 4:35-7:05-9:20
Sex and the City (18A) Fri-Thu 6:10-9
You Don't Mess With the Zohan Sat-Sun 1:30

Casting Val Kilmer, right, was handed the job of voicing the new Knight Rider car when producers learned Will Arnett had a truck commercial deal that would prevent him from playing K.I.T.T. on TV. Arnett won the role for the upcoming remake of David Hasselhoff's 1980s series, but was forced to step down because of his ties to GMC Trucks. Kilmer, a fan of the original series, was asked to step in. IMDB.COM

TV

Out Swinging

IntelleVision

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SWINGING AT SOFTBALLS: Earlier this week, I wrote about Swingtown, the '70s-themed primetime drama, and said that it was an ABC show, after watching three consecutive episodes I'd downloaded, all with CBS' eye logo watermarked in the bottom right corner.

A reader was kind enough to write in and correct me, pointing out that the show appearing on staid, safe, elderly CBS is far more of a big deal than if it were on ABC, NBC or Fox, or any of the quality cable networks where chagrined supporters of the show think it might have thrived.

You can't help but get the impression that show producer and director Alan Poul agrees with this theory, based on a talk he gave at the Banff World Television Festival written on the Blogcritics.com web site.

According to Poul, Swingtown creator Mike Kelley was in the unusual position of having a network try and sell him on the idea of putting the show on their network, and not the other way around when Swingtown was still being pitched.

"We said we're not going to sell it if they're going to turn it into a network show," Poul recalled of the negotiations with CBS network chief Nina Tassler.

"The underage daughter still has to smoke pot, the crazy neighbour lady still has to do coke, our leading lady still has to take the Quaalude and we have to want her to take the Quaalude, and they still have to have sex with their neighbours.

"If you guarantee we can do all those things on CBS, then yes, you can buy the show. She said, 'You have my word.'" Afterwards, of course, the usual network interference happened right on schedule.

Since the big networks are riper targets for indecency fines from the Federal Communications Commission, they're cautious in ways that Showtime or HBO aren't, and so the network "happily" paid US $10,000 to have the leg of a stewardess digitally removed from a scene in the pilot where it's wrapped around Grant Show's swinging Tom Decker. Poul complained that the FCC's effect is like "a third world theocracy, the level of sexual puritanism."

"On Desperate Housewives or CSI, there is a level of lascivious content," Poul said, "but the person involved usually gets punished or, preferably, killed.

"We love our characters. We don't judge them. There are no negative repercussions for the behaviour they're engaging in. They find that terrifying."

And that's one of the biggest problems with Swingtown — the producers can't do what all of us do every day of our lives: make judgments and act on them. The '70s might have felt like a moral vacuum, but the world wasn't, and without affording viewers the context to make a moral judgment about somebody's behaviour — which Poul seems to regard as Swingtown's agenda — you're offering them the dramatic equivalent of braised celery while pretending it's Texas chili.

Rick McGinnis writes about music, movies, books and television, but not opera.

FRIDAY

	Vu	SC	C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
primetime	251	308	3 CBC	Coronation St.	Laughs	Air Farce Live	Comedy Fest	MVP-Lives of Hockey Wives		CBC News: The National (N)		Stampede
	255	358	6 CH	E News	The Insider	Mysteries	Mysteries	Dr. 90210 (CC)		20/20 (CC)		News (N)
	250	321	9 CTV	eTalk (CC)	Hollywood	Ghost Whisperer (CC)		CSI: Crime Scene Invstgtn.		Flashpoint "Scorpio" (CC)		News (N)
	252	336	11 GTV	Entertainment	ET Canada	Very Bad Men (CC)		NUMB3RS "Democracy"		Friday Night Lights (CC)		News (N)
	256	389	12 VI	Degrassi	Friends (CC)	Dance Machine (N) (CC)		Duel (N) (CC)		Jeff Ltd.	Bravo! Fact	News (N)
	253	359	13 CITY	Wheel-Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Biography "Goldie Hawn"		Stargate SG-1 (CC) (DVS)		The Collector "The VJ"		Reviews
	-	-	14 CW	'70s Show	'70s Show	WWE Friday Night SmackDown! (N) (CC)				Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Frasier (CC)
	289	381	15 CBS	Entertainment	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer (CC)		NUMB3RS "Democracy"		Flashpoint "Scorpio" (CC)		News (N)
	287	379	16 NBC	Evening Mag.	Inside Edition	Outrageous	Outrageous	Dateline NBC Two men accused of murdering their wives. (N)				News (N)
	288	380	21 ABC	Wheel-Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Dance Machine (N) (CC)		Duel (N) (CC)		20/20 (CC)		News (N)
	290	382	23 FOX	Two/Half Men	Two/Half Men	2 Fast 2 Furious ★★ (2003, Action) Paul Walker, Tyrese.				News (N)	IQ Weekly	Family Guy
family sports news	502	390	25 NW	CBC News: the fifth estate		CBC News: The National (N)		CBC News: The National		CBC News: the fifth estate		National
	500	500	33 CNN	Anderson Cooper 360 (CC)				Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360 (CC)		Cooper 360
	407	419	22 RSP	Sportsnet Connected (Live)		Poker		European Poker Tour		Sportsnet Connected (Live)		Sportsnet
	400	400	30 TSN	CFL Football		SportsCentre	NASCAR Racing Nationwide Series -- Dollar General 300. (Same-day Tape)					SportsCentre
	552	543	25 YTV	Storm Hawks	Storm Hawks	Batman ★★★ (1989, Action) Jack Nicholson, Michael Keaton, Kim Basinger. (CC)						Shadow
	555	545	50 TEL	George	Merrie Melody	Loonatics	6teen (CC)	Total Drama	Futurama	Batman & Mr. Freeze: SubZero ★★ (1998)		
cable variety	268	354	5 KNO	Emily of New Moon (CC)		The Royal "Absent Friends"		Himalaya With Michael Palin		Private Life of a Masterpiece		Prisoners
	575	583	20 CMT	Home Imp.	Roseanne	Taylor Swift	The Wreckers	Reba (CC)	Hope & Faith	Home Imp.	Roseanne	Ed (CC)
	615	520	31 A&E	CSI: Miami "Going Under"		Criminal Minds "The Fox"		CSI: Miami "One of Our Own"		CSI: Miami "Rio" (CC)		CSI: Miami
	521	560	34 TLC	Ashley Paige	Ashley Paige	What Not to Wear "Go Red"		What Not to Wear (CC)		Ashley Paige	Ashley Paige	What Not
	616	522	35 SHO	ReGenesis "The Promise"		Cold Squad "Gavin MacInnis"		Kenny-Spenny	Kenny-Spenny	Webdreams	Webdreams	Sin Cities
	294	650	47 TBS	(6:00) Fun With Dick & Jane		Sex and-City	Sex and-City	Herbie: Fully Loaded ★★ (2005) Lindsay Lohan. (CC)				Ella
	603	561	52 FN	Diner, Drive-In	Road Tasted	Dinner	Glutton	Iron Chef America (CC)		Tasty Travels	Food Safari	Diner, Drive-In
	320	621	60 CEN	(6:30) Unaccompanied Minors		The Heartbreak Kid ★★ (2007) Ben Stiller. Premiere. (CC)				Balls of Fury ★★ (2007) Dan Fogler. (CC)		
	581	566	101 MTV	The Real World (CC)		MTV Shuffle (CC)		Shot at Love-Tila Tequila		The Real World (CC)		4REAL M.I.A.

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SATURDAY

	Vu	SC	C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
primetime	251	308	3 CBC	2008 Calgary Stampede From Calgary. (Live) (CC)				Godzilla ★★ (1954) Takashi Shimura. (Subtitled-English) (CC)				News (CC)
	255	358	6 CH	E News	Be Real (CC)	Best Friends (2005) Megan Gallagher, Claudette Mink. (CC)				Out There	Out There	Guy Stuff
	250	321	9 CTV	W-FIVE-Forgiveness		Burn: The Robert Wraight Story (2004) Jonathan Scarfe. (CC)				Comedy Now	Comedy Inc.	News (N)
	252	336	11 GTV	Andromeda (CC)		Largo Winch (N) (CC)		Andromeda (N) (CC)		renegade	renegade	News (N)
	256	389	12 VI	New Canoe	Island Week	Kool Countdown (CC)		Law & Order "Burn Card"		Eli Stone "Praying for Time"		At the Movies
	253	359	13 CITY	Stargate Atlantis "Irresistible"		Murdoch Mysteries (CC)		Proof of Lies (2006, Suspense) Amanda Detmer. (CC) (DVS)				Role
	-	-	14 CW	CSI: Miami "Collision" (CC)		King	King	Frasier (CC)	Frasier (CC)	CSI: Miami "Double Jeopardy"		Cold Case
	289	381	15 CBS	Entertainment Tonight (N)		The Unit "Outsiders" (CC)		48 Hours Mystery "Murder on Lockhart Road" (CC)				News (N)
	287	379	16 NBC	Backroads	Inside Edition	Name Is Earl	Name Is Earl	Law & Order "Burn Card"		Law & Order: Criminal Intent		News (N)
	288	380	21 ABC	Wheel-Fortune	Jeopardy!	The Princess Diaries 2: Royal Engagement ★★ (2004) (CC)				Eli Stone "Praying for Time"		KOMO 4 News
	290	382	23 FOX	Two/Half Men	Two-Half Men	Cops (N) (PA)	Cops (CC)	America's Most Wanted		News (N)	Scrubs (CC)	MADtv (CC)
family sports news	502	390	25 NW	On A Tightrope (CC)		Sat. Report	Summer	Sat. Report	Mansbridge	On A Tightrope (CC)		Sat. Report
	500	500	33 CNN	Newsroom		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		
	407	419	22 RSP	World Combat League (CC)		UFC Fight Night				Sportsnet Connected (Live)		Poker
	400	400	30 TSN	NASCAR Racing: Sprint Cup			SportsCentre (Live) (CC)		Boxing (Same-day Tape) (CC)			SportsCentre
	552	543	25 YTV	Ghost	Ghost	Mystery Hnt.	Mystery Hnt.	Adrenaline	Adrenaline	Mystery Hnt.	Mystery Hnt.	Ghost
	555	545	50 TEL	Chaotic	Johnny Test	Chop Socky	6teen (CC)	Total Drama	Futurama	Chicken	Rick & Steve	Tripping-Rift
cable variety	268	354	5 KNO	National Geographic (CC)		Heartbeat (CC)		Midsomer Murders "A Worm in the Bud" (CC)				Life Begins
	575	583	20 CMT	Hope & Faith	Hope & Faith	Grand Ole Opry Live		Reba (CC)	Reba (CC)	Hope & Faith	Hope & Faith	Three Amigos!
	615	520	31 A&E	Intervention "Sandra" (CC)		Intervention "Charles" (N)		Intervention "Jill" (CC)		Intervention Alcohol addiction.		Intervention
	521	560	34 TLC	Trading Spaces (N)		Flip House	Flip House	Holmes on Homes		Trading Spaces		My First Home
	616	522	35 SHO	(6:00) The One That Got Away		Mom, Dad and Her (2008) Melora Hardin. Premiere. (CC)				Kenny-Spenny	Kenny-Spenny	Trailer Park
	294	650	47 TBS	What Women Want ★★ (2000) Mel Gibson, Helen Hunt, Marisa Tomei. (CC)				Something to Talk About ★★ (1995) Julia Roberts. (CC)				
	603	561	52 FN	Top Chef "Block Party" (CC)		Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares		Iron Chef America (CC)		Top Chef "Block Party" (CC)		Secret Life of
	320	621	60 CEN	Harry Potter-Phoenix		Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix ★★★ (2007) Daniel Radcliffe.					(:20) Rest Stop (2006) (CC)	
	581	566	101 MTV	Cribs (CC)	4REAL M.I.A.	MTV Screen	MTV e2 (CC)	MTV Shuffle (CC)		MTV Live	Second Half	MTV e2 (CC)

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SUNDAY

	Vu	SC	C	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
primetime	251	308	3 CBC	Heartland "One Trick Pony"		How Do You Solve-Maria		2008 Calgary Stampede From Calgary. (Taped) (CC)				CBC News
	255	358	6 CH	Vanity	Vanity	Extreme Makeover: Home Edition "Hughes Family" (CC)				The Soup	E News	News (CC)
	250	321	9 CTV	Instant Star	The Hills (N)	Cold Case "Running Around"		Mad Men Office romance.		Flashpoint "Scorpio" (CC)		News (N)
	252	336	11 GTV	renegade	'Til Death	Big Brother 10 (CC)		Family Guy	American Dad	Family Guy	The Simpsons	News (N)
	256	389	12 VI	Funniest Home Videos		Connie and Carla ★★ (2004, Comedy) Nia Vardalos. (CC)				Desperate Housewives (CC)		ideaCity
	253	359	13 CITY	Radio ★★ (2003, Drama) Cuba Gooding Jr., Ed Harris. (CC)				Miss Universe 2008 (Same-day Tape) (CC)				Role
	-	-	14 CW	One Tree Hill (CC)		Hates Chris	Aliens	The Game	Girlfriends	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Without Trace
	289	381	15 CBS	60 Minutes (CC)		Big Brother 10 (CC)		Cold Case "Running Around"		Flashpoint "Scorpio" (CC)		News (N)
	287	379	16 NBC	American Dream		Outrageous	Outrageous	Miss Universe 2008 (Same-day Tape) (CC)				News (N)
	288	380	21 ABC	Funniest Home Videos		Extreme Makeover: Home Edition "Hughes Family" (CC)				Desperate Housewives (CC)		KOMO 4 News
	290	382	23 FOX	'Til Death	'Til Death	The Simpsons	King of Hill	Family Guy	American Dad	News (N)	Q It Up Sports	Law/Ord SVU
family sports news	502	390	25 NW	Born Into Brothels ★★★ (2004, Documentary) (CC)				CBC News: Sunday Night		Born Into Brothels ★★★ (2004) (CC)		
	500	500	33 CNN	Newsroom		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		Newsroom		Investigations
	407	419	22 RSP	MLB Baseball		Sportsnet Connected (Live)		European Poker Tour		Sportsnet Connected		Jays
	400	400	30 TSN	SportsCentre (Live) (CC)			Planet Speed	NASCAR Racing		Poker Night (Taped) (CC)		SportsCentre
	552	543	25 YTV	(6:00) Batman Returns ★★ (1992) Michael Keaton. (CC)				Falcon Beach "Starting Over"		Falcon Beach (CC)		Dark Oracle
	555	545	50 TEL	Total Drama	Total Drama	Fred's Head	6teen	Total Drama	Futurama	Chicken	Rick & Steve	Tripping-Rift
cable variety	268	354	5 KNO	National Geographic "Skin"		Rosemary and Thyme (CC)		New Tricks "Wicca Work"		Life Begins (CC)		Last Detective
	575	583	20 CMT	Dukes of Hazzard		Dukes of Hazzard		Dukes of Hazzard		Dukes of Hazzard		Dukes
	615	520	31 A&E	Two Coreys	Two Coreys	Intervention "Ben and Josh"		Simmons	Simmons	Gene Simmons Family Jewels		Two Coreys
	521	560	34 TLC	The Singing Office (CC)		My Shocking Story: Half Man		The Singing Office		The Singing Office (CC)		Mystery Diag.
	616	522	35 SHO	Lost in the Dark (2007) Mae Whitman, Matthew Smalley. (CC)				Trailer Park	Rent-A-Goalie	Kingdom of Heaven ★★★ (2005) (CC)		
	294	650	47 TBS	Fun With Dick & Jane ★★ (2005) Jim Carrey, Téa Leoni.				Housesitter ★★ (1992) Steve Martin, Goldie Hawn. (CC)				Ace Ventura
	603	561	52 FN	Jamie	Nigella	Road Grill	Grill	Iron Chef America Cat Cora.		Jamie	Grill	Boy Grill
	320	621	60 CEN	Just Business	StuntDawgs	Generation Kill "Get Some"		300 ★★★ (2007, Action) Gerard Butler, Lena Headey. (CC)				Number 23
	581	566	101 MTV	Cribs (CC)	Cribs (CC)	4REAL M.I.A.	MTV Screen	MTV Shuffle (CC)		MTV Screen	4REAL M.I.A.	MTV Shuffle

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Fashionable Italy
Rome's new right-wing mayor says he wants to turn the ancient city into a modern hub for budding fashion designers, dismissing criticism that the city's rich art and culture credentials will take a beating under his command. REUTERS

Style

Dazzle with cute wrist candy

Style File

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ask kim

How do I prevent air bubbles in my nail polish once it's applied to my nails?

Excessively shaking the bottle can create air in the bottle. Instead gently roll the bottle in between your hands to mix the polish. Here are a couple of extra tips from *beautybuzz.com*: don't polish your nails in a draft, the blowing air can cause bubbles. Also, the more you polish over your nails, the more air you put into it. And remember to place old polish in the trash.

E-mail your style questions to *kim.elbo@metronews. ca.*

Vancouver's Kim Elbo has a passion for fashion. Here she shares the latest style tips.

Puzzle
Designer: Swatch
Shop: Swatch
Address: Various locations
swatch.com

Candy Colours
My Favourite
Designer: Betsy Johnson
Shop: Betsey Johnson
Address: 1033 Alberni St.
betseyjohnson.com

Sweet
Designer: Tiffany & Co.
Shop: Tiffany & Co.
Address: Various Locations
tiffany.com

Handbag
Designer: (Unknown Vintage)
Shop: Lines
Address: 3739 Main St.
(604) 871 0998

Wristlet
Designer: American Eagle
Shop: American Eagle
Address: Various locations
ae.com

Clutch
My Favourite
Designer: Alice & Olivia
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accessory

Push the button and the palette literally talks you through five easy steps to the perfect smoky eye. It includes artistry tips and advice on what brushes to use. $46 Available at BeautyMark, 1120 Hamilton St. beautymark.ca

watches

Watches are often overlooked at because we carry time with us on our cell phones, iPods and cameras. So what is the use of a wrist watch when we obviously don't need it? Fashion, of course, it's another accessory that can't be overlooked, especially not the ones featured here. This season big, bright and candy-coloured watches are a hit. The bigger the face the better. Also, look for a thick band to match, not like those "back in the day" Baby G-Shock watches, but more like a jeweled cuff bracelet.

psst...

D-f.a.m.e. — Dahlia Drive fashion show next week. Partial proceeds benefit A Loving Spoonful. Admission is free. Check it out on July 17 at 9 p.m., Lounge 1181 (1181 Davie St.)

tip

Going to the beach anytime soon? Keep your watch at home; salt water can cause corrosion to the watch. Also, extreme heat can shorten the battery life of a quartz watch.

bags

Don't spoil your summer outfit with an overbearing bag. Instead, go for something a little inconspicuous like a small black bag. It'll hold all your main essentials so you won't have to dig deep for your cell phone or coin purse. I had a friend who bought a really cute clutch but it had the smallest storage space that only fit coins and cards. So remember to try before you buy, test out the mini bag at the store to make sure all your personals fit.

Brighten those eyes

VERONICA BOODHAN
for Metro Canada

Bright colours are heating up this summer with handbags, shoes and now makeup being offered in more vibrant shades.

"There was a need for a more modern colour palette," explains Lori Taylor, professional artistry relations manager at Smashbox Cosmetics.

Smashbox, a California-based company, offers a large selection of these playful eye shadows. Their newest line, Desert Chic, includes colours ranging from neutrals to turquoise.

"The summertime is to have fun, especially with these new colours," says Taylor.

To find the most flattering colours for you, Taylor recommends basing your choices on eye colour.

"Pick a shade you like but don't contour and highlight. Apply a wash of colour across the lash-line to the natural crease [of the eye]."

While fashion is helping dictate the trends in makeup, bolder eye shadow is representing a new, brighter attitude among women.

"It's bright outside, so be bright! Look at your personal style and go with that," advises Caitlin Callahan, senior artist at MAC Cosmetics.

MAC, originally a Canadian company, is known for their emphasis on the eyes.

Yesterday they launch their newest line of makeup, Electro Flash, which features a bold mixes of eye shadow colour.

"I took them on a photo shoot and they are the most versatile products I've used in a long time," says Callahan.

The Electro Flash container is split into two parts. On one side, there is a mix of three colours and one complimenting shade on the other side.

"It's a beautiful, translucent veil that has depth. All together it makes [putting makeup on] easy," she says.

The new collection is a throwback to the glamour/rock trend of the '70s.

For those thinking of casting themselves away from the trend of bright eye shadow, Callahan insists that this makeup is meant for everyone.

"Anyone can wear these colours. It's more about style, not about race or age."

shades to help you get the look

Clockwise from right: Single Eye Shadow in Spellbound, $21; CoverGirl Tropical Fusion, $6.99; MAC Electro Flash in Sea & Sky, $22; Smashbox Desert Chic Fusion Eye & Cheek Colour in Heatwave, $33; MAC Electro Flash in Fresh Green Mix, $22.

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This season's bold eye shadow shades represent a new, brighter attitude among women.

Ethical designer enjoys return

CLOTHING British designer Katharine Hamnett is relishing a comeback now that the fashion world has finally caught up with her campaigning notions about clothes.

Hamnett stormed off the fashion stage four years ago after her pleas to use organic cotton fell on deaf ears.

But the designer whose oversized T-shirts with slogans like "Choose Life" and "Use a Condom" were all the rage in the 1980s is enjoying a return now that "ethical fashion" is in vogue.

"Years ago when I was talking about this I was a voice in the wilderness and now I have people come up to me and say 'Oh, you were right all along,'" Hamnett said in an interview at Rome fashion week, where she was promoting ethical fashion.

REUTERS

This Sunday, Boneta Restaurant pairs up with UBC School of Architecture to offer a very special fundraising dinner in support of Lu's Pharmacy for Women in the Downtown East Side. The four-course dinner is $65 per person. Call 604-684-1844 for more info. **METRO NEWS SERVICES**

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Signature Dish:
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Rating:
Dinner & drinks for 2: $80

Whee! Sorry, had to celebrate my first five-globe rating. Now to the grist, namely, the freaky-fine-fabulous food at Trattoria Italian Kitchen. (OK, no more alliteration.) I just get excited by simple things like spicy lamb sausage pizza with chanterelle mushrooms and runny egg yolk ($12). Or the creamy polenta with bolognese sauce ($7). Or the conchiglioni stuffed with ricotta and spinach and covered in tomato-basil sauce ($11). Or the roasted figs with marsala mascarpone ($7). Trattoria's food is simple, sublime, supremely filling and superbly priced. (Damn, more alliteration.)

Most dishes are under $15 and portions are fair to large. The room is beautiful, airy and just noisy enough. My buddy Peter and I walked in at 7 p.m. without a booking on the weekend and enjoyed a drink on some overstuffed benches, before getting a table 25 minutes later. The restaurant has only been open for a couple of weeks, so wait times should dwindle, but it's still good to book ahead.

The staff is very friendly and eager to please, judging by the numerous spot checks we and other diners had throughout the night.

Complaints? None, so far, but I'll be going back soon to double- and triple-check.

ANYA LEVYKH/FOR METRO VANCOUVER

Lamb sausage and chanterelle mushroom pizza.

The Bond-Hemingway connection

Both James Bond and Ernest Hemingway were fans of Campari. Made by infusing herbs, plants and fruits in alcohol and distilled water, the complete recipe has been a secret for almost 150 years. Known ingredients include bergamot oil, ginseng and rhubarb. Mix with soda for the classic combo or try something more frisky, like Trattoria IK's version (right).

Bevanda del Campari

- 1/3 oz Campari
- 2/3 oz peach schnapps
- 2 oz fresh citrus and cranberry juices

Pour ingredients over ice into rocks glass. Stir and garnish with lime.

Dining out

FARMS IN THE CITY
On July 20 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., go on the Incredible Edible Tour to learn about who is growing your food and how. Tour includes three farm tours with a knowledgeable guide, lunch and farmgate opportunities. Visit *farmfolkcityfolk.ca* for more information.

TOUR AND A FEAST
On August 1, find out what's Outstanding in the Field at UBC Farm. Enjoy a tour of the city's only working farm, followed by a five-course farm style dinner served al fresco by Chef Andrea Carlson of Bishop's. $220 per person. Visit *outstandinginthefield.com* for more information.

In brief

2 CHEFS Gastown will have a new restaurant this week at 305 Alexander St. The aptly-named 2 Chefs and a Table is a small bistro and catering company run by Allan Bosomworth and Karl Gregg.

JIMINY CRICKETS! Vij's is now offering these chirrupy little insects on their regular menu. Apparently, the goal is to promote a sustainable source of protein. Taste is another matter entirely... **METRO VANCOUVER**

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The Concept.

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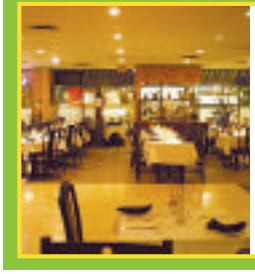

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Mariah Carey has hit out at the media over reports she is planning a $4 million wedding ceremony to celebrate her marriage to Nick Cannon. Carey has since denied they will be hosting a bigger ceremony and has now criticized the press for spreading the stories. IMDB.COM

Celebrity Buzz

Brinkley, ex strike a deal

COURTS Christie Brinkley and her estranged husband Peter Cook have reached a settlement in their divorce trial, *imdb.com* reports.

After eight days of high drama in a New York court, the former couple finally agreed on the terms of child custody and division of assets yesterday, following all-night talks at a Manhattan hotel.

The settlement gives Brinkley sole custody of the pair's two children — Jack, 13, and Sailor, 10 — but allows Cook "ample parenting time".

The former supermodel has also been awarded all real estate holdings, while Cook walks away with a $2.1 million pay off.

Brinkley and Cook's lawyers and their children's law guardian began talks on Wednesday evening in the hope of bringing their high-profile divorce to a close.

Over the course of the trial, testimony included revelations of Cook's affair with teenager Diana Bianchi and his alleged $3,000 monthly porn habit.

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Madge A-Rod's soulmate?

ROMANCE Alex Rodriguez allegedly confessed his love for Madonna at the beginning of this year, *femalefirst.co.uk* reports.

The New York Yankees baseball star — whose close relationship with the singer is a factor in his recent split from wife Cynthia, her lawyers claim — told a pal he was besotted with Madonna as they had dinner at a restaurant in January, during which Alex spent most of the evening texting her.

His friend told Us Weekly magazine: "He kept smiling, acting as if he was a little kid. He told me it was Madonna he was texting. I was shocked. He proceeded to say he was in love with her. I thought he was kidding but he wasn't."

Just a few weeks after the dinner, Alex — who has two children with estranged wife Cynthia — confirmed how much he had fallen for Madonna, telling the same friend: "She's my f***ing soulmate."

Madonna — whose own marriage to director Guy Ritchie is allegedly on the brink of collapse — has previously denied any involvement with the sportsman, insisting they are just friends.

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celebrity brief

Aniston denies love letter find

RELATIONSHIP John Mayer's girlfriend Jennifer Aniston has blasted rumours that she discovered "a batch" of love letters from the rocker's ex Jessica Simpson, dismissing the claims as false, *imdb.com* reports. The former Friends actress, who became romantically linked to Mayer earlier this year, was said to have found the notes in the singer's guitar case, reports the New York Post's gossip column Page Six.

A source tells the publication, "Jennifer was more hurt than angry at the discovery. The letters surprisingly were very touching and well written." But Aniston's representative insists the story is "completely fabricated."

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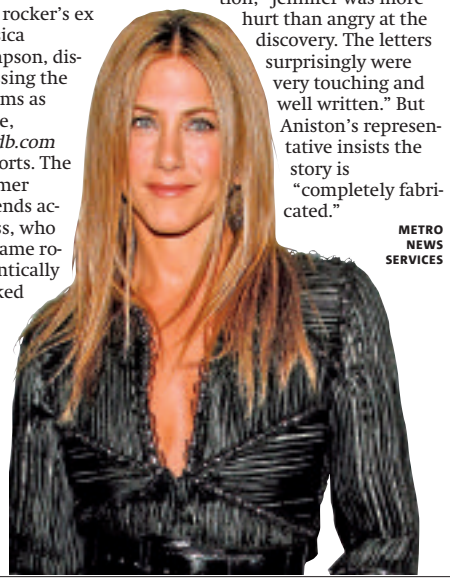

Pamela confirms reunion with ex

DIVORCED Pamela Anderson has confirmed she and ex-husband Tommy Lee are back together, insisting they make a "great package," *imdb.com* reports. Anderson was married to the Motley Crue rocker for three years until they split in 1998. But they have spent more and more time together recently, and Lee recently claimed his ex and their two sons had moved back in with him — and were trying to be a happy family.

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Biel not hungry for wedding vows

FAMILY Jessica Biel says her life will be fine even if she doesn't walk down the aisle one day, *usmagazine.com* reports. "The actual idea of signing those papers and doing all this stuff ... I've never been someone who's like, 'I have to, have to, have to have it,;" the actress, 26, says in Harper's Bazaar.

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celebrity brief

Fiancé denying break with Fox

RUMOUR Brian Austin Green says everything's going great with fiancée Megan Fox, *usmagazine.com* reports. (London's Daily Star reported that Fox, 22, called off her engagement to the former 90210 star after realizing "she's too young to marry him.") "We're solid," Green, 34, says in the new issue of TV Guide. "We've lived together for three years. We have tattoos of each other's names."

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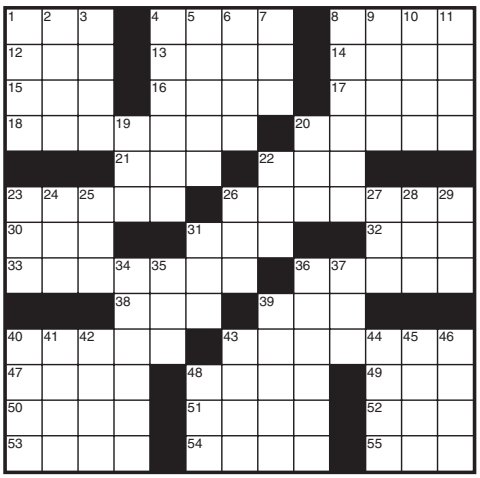
Could Brad Pitt be headlining Quentin Tarantino's next film?
According to *DeadlineHollywoodDaily.com*, the director, 45, is in talks with Pitt, 44, to star in his next film, the World War II action tale Inglorious Bastards. METRO

Take Five



Crossword across

1 Valuable mineral
4 Large tubs
8 Quantity of firewood
12 Creeping vine
13 Big hairdo
14 Drama award
15 French wine
16 Traffic sign
17 Seeger of folk music
18 Passed by
20 Video screen dot
21 Swab target
22 — appetit!
23 Diver's find
26 They rent quarters
30 IRS month
31 Unopened flower
32 Thai neighbor
33 Woman's accessory
36 Polishes
38 So far
39 Broadcast
40 Steakhouse order (hyph.)
43 Cry out
47 "Fancy" singer
48 Wiesel or Ducommun
49 Jungle crusher
50 Piece of news
51 Swill
52 — a date!
53 Well-known Rochester clinic
54 Valve lifters
55 Do lacework

Crossword down

1 Shell out
2 Malevolent
3 Chatty starling
4 Feudal tenant
5 In the wake of
6 Marched along
7 Bribe
8 Rodeo event
9 Alpine goat
10 Quote from
11 Hull bottom
19 — capita
20 Herd of whales
22 Slangy physique
23 Oompah- —
24 Envir. monitor
25 Son of Prince Valiant
26 Carry wearily
27 Brownie
28 U.K. fliers
29 Distress signal
31 Cave dweller
34 Forceful person
35 Pollen gatherer
36 Hunks flex them
37 Home page addr.
39 Principle
40 Sleek
41 Test version
42 Not resist
43 Jazzy Fitzgerald
44 Somewhat (2 wds.)
45 Scintilla
46 Yacht feature
48 PC button

previous day's answer

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ARIES
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A guilty man will admit to his transgression. Showing disrespect will be catastrophic. An unusual experiment is taking place.

TAURUS
APRIL 21-MAY 21
A friend will find it difficult to contact you. Be lenient with those who lack defenders. Don't get mad when you explain the rules.

GEMINI
MAY 22-JUNE 21
You are someone's good luck charm. Don't lose your temper at noon. A woman will complain about her weight gain.

CANCER
JUNE 22-JULY 22
A comment is misunderstood by a fool. Prepare for dramatic moments. You'll change your mind about a tight money situation.

LEO
JULY 23-AUG 23
You're even more attractive than usual. A woman is upset over details. A generous friend offers nurturing.

VIRGO
AUG 24-SEPT 22
History repeats itself. Your personality might provoke a quarrel at home. Nasty moments can be avoided by not reacting.

LIBRA
SEPT 23-OCT 23
Avoid decision-making in the morning. Let someone else make corrections. Problems with a vegetarian lead to turmoil.

SCORPIO
OCT 24- NOV 22
An answer comes in a dream. A meeting with a soul mate is possible. Laughter ends the day on a high note.

SAGITTARIUS
NOV 23- DEC 21
Bad news about the future can be ignored. Make changes in a faltering relationship. A friend will be super moody.

CAPRICORN
DEC 22-JAN 20
Keep your temper in check if you're hypersensitive. Don't waste your wit on sarcastic people. A staff romance hits the skids.

AQUARIUS
JAN 21-FEB 18
Wear down your opposition with a smile. Things start working out for the best. Emotional depths are being plumbed.

PISCES
FEB 19-MAR 20
Someone's problems will interfere with a departure. Don't tease a friend about their living conditions. Start exercising your brain more.

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Sudoku

INSTRUCTIONS:
The digits 1 through 9 will appear exactly once in each row, each column, and each zone. (A zone is an outlined 3x3 grid within the larger puzzle grid. There are nine of these zones in the puzzle.) Do not enter a digit into a box if it already appears elsewhere in the same 3x3 zone, or in the same row across the puzzle, or column down the puzzle.

previous day's answer

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8	7	1	5	9	3	4	2	6
6	3	5	2	4	8	1	7	9
5	2	6	4	8	7	9	3	1
3	8	4	9	1	5	7	6	2
9	1	7	6	3	2	8	5	4

SOLVE TIME IN MINUTES:
Under 13 . . . . . Genius
13-17 . . . . . Scholar
17-21 . . . . . Smart
21-25 . . . . . Not bad
25+ . . . . . Keep practicing

Vancouver weather

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Afternoon	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Sunny. 21°	Clear. Low 13°	Mainly sunny. 23°/ 14°	Mainly sunny. 22°/ 13°	Variable. 20°/ 11°

Temperature
Normals
High: 21.5°
Low: 12.9°

Records
High: 29.4°/1951
Low: 7.8°/1973

Sunrise: 5:20 a.m.
Sunset: 9:15 p.m.
Moonset: 12:23 a.m.
Moonrise: 3:53 p.m.

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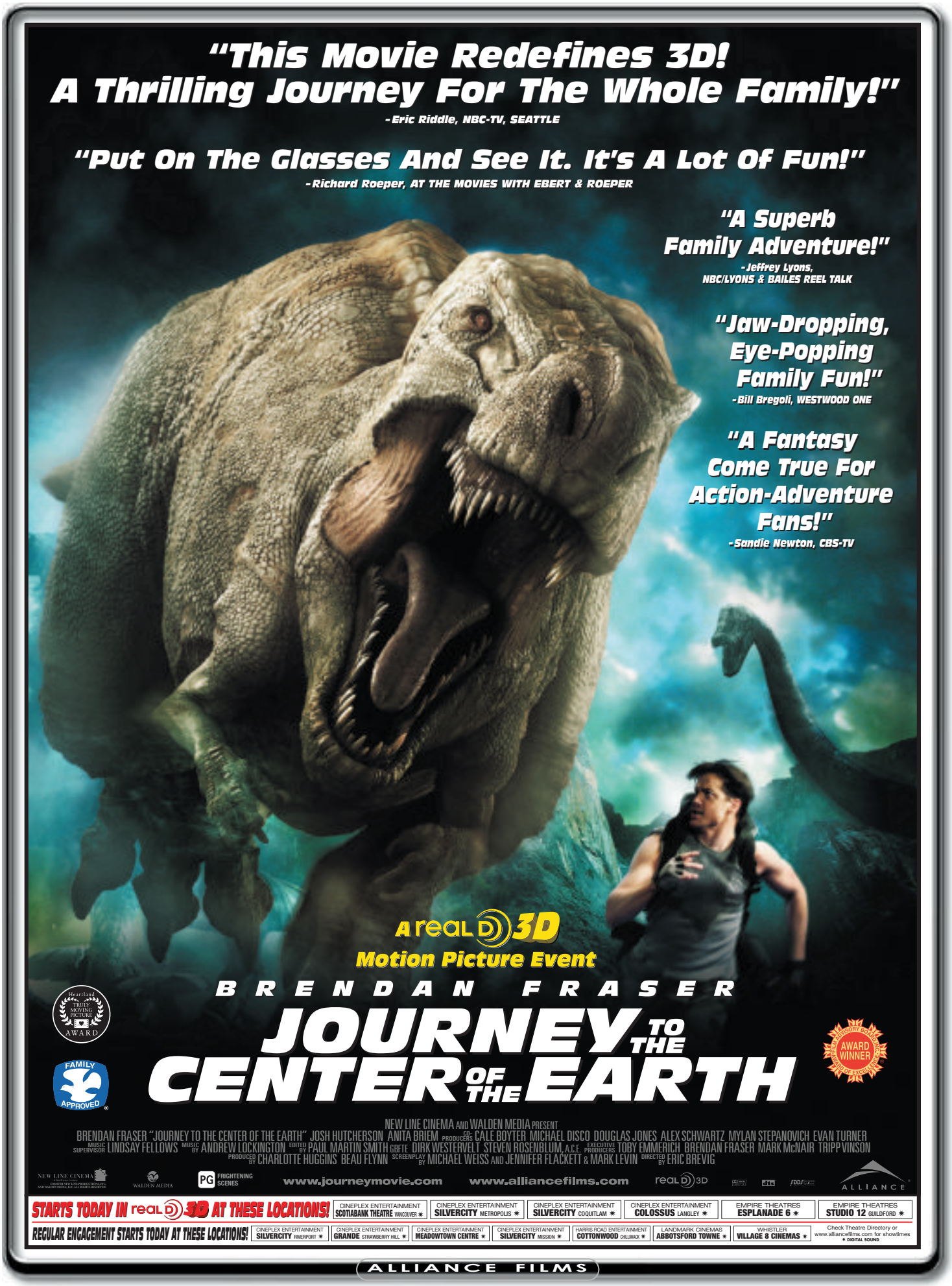
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